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NOTICE

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AGENCY.
MITSU BISHI COLLIERIES.
MR. JOHN GRANT will take Charge of this Agency during my absence from the Colony.
H. W. JEFFRIES.
Agent.
Hongkong, 23rd April, 1891. [1031]

COMPLIMENTARY DANCE TO GARRISON.

CIVILIANS desirous of Subscribing to the above will kindly forward their Names as early as possible to the Undersecretary, G. W. KING, Secretary, c/o Messrs. Carmichael & Co., Hongkong, 23rd April, 1891. [1032]

CONSULAT DE FRANCE.

CONTRACT FOR THE FRENCH SQUADRON.

TENDERS are required for the SUPPLY of COALS to the FRENCH SQUADRON, in this Harbour, during One Year to begin on the 15th May next.

Specifications and Forms of Tenders can be seen on application to the French Consul, between the hours of 10 a.m. to Noon, and 2 to 4 p.m. Daily.

Tenders to be sent under Sealed Covers on or before SATURDAY, the 25th inst., at 3 a.m., to the French Consul, 23rd April, 1891. [1028]

SOCIETE FERMIERE DE L'OPIMUM AT TUNKIN.

SOCIETE ANONYME AU CAPITAL DE 1,440,000 FRS.

AVIS AUX ACTIONNAIRES.

M. L. ACTIONNAIRES sont informés que, conformément aux Résolutions de l'Assemblée générale ordinaire, tenue le 28 Mars 1891, les coupons de l'exercice, 1890, seront payés.

Aux gendres de la HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION à Hongkong du 27 Avril au 1 Mai inclus.

An Siège Social: Hanoi à dater du 9 Avril. [1027]

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—TSUNG NG, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Trader, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition filed in the Supreme Court of Hongkong on the 15th day of April, 1891, is hereby required to surrender himself to BRUCE SHEPHERD, Esquire, the Acting Registrar of the said Court, at the First Meeting of Creditors to be held by the said Acting Registrar on WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of May, 1891, at 11 o'clock in the Forenoon.

The said BRUCE SHEPHERD is the Official Assignee in the Bankruptcy.

A Public Sitting will be appointed by the said Court for the said Bankrupt to appear in person, and to make application for his discharge, of which sitting notice will be given in the Hongkong Government Gazette.

At the First Meeting of Creditors the Acting Registrar will receive the Proofs of the Debts of Creditors, and the Creditors who shall have proved their Debts respectively, or the Majority in value of the said Creditors, are hereby directed to choose an Assignee or Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects to be called the Creditors' Assignee or Assignees on the 21st day of April, 1891.

ARTHUR B. BODDY, Solicitor in the Matter, Hongkong, 23rd April, 1891. [1029]

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THE HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY.

will, by special request, give a THIRD PERFORMANCE of BUANAND and SULLIVAN'S COMIC OPERA "THE CONTRABANDIST."

"THE LAW OF THE LADRONES," SATURDAY, 25th inst., at 9 o'clock P.M.

Tram Cars will run at suitable hours from and to the Park.

Dress Circle and Stalls \$2.00. Best Seats, Stalls, 1.00. Tickets obtainable at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. on and after Thursday, 23rd April at 10 a.m.

THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL.

GRAND ASSAULT-AT-ARMS LORNE ATHLETIC CLUB, AND ALL SUTHERLAND CLUBMEMBERS, MONDAY, 24th APRIL.

Under the distinguished patronage and in the presence of Sir G. W. D. V. C. K. M. G. and Major General G. D. B. H. M. G. C. B.

Commencing at 9 P.M. Admission, Dress Circle and Stalls \$2.00. Best Seats, Stalls, 1.00. Tickets obtainable at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. on and after Thursday, 23rd April at 10 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, 25th APRIL, Commencing at 9 P.M. when smoking will be permitted. Admission \$1 (no Reserved Seats). Soldiers and Sailors to all performances, 25 cents.

The HAND WILL BE IN ATTENDANCE. Seats for Monday and Tuesday can be booked at KELLY & WALSH, Hongkong, 23rd April, 1891. [1023]

FOR HAIPHONG DIRECT. (Taking Cargo for TOURNAI and QUINHO). THE Company's Steamship.

Captain Bouquet, will leave for the above Port on SUNDAY, the 28th inst., at Noon.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1891. [1023]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA SWATOW. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Ningbo, Shanghai, Tientsin, Newchwang, Hankow, and Ports on the YANGTZEK.) THE Company's Steamship.

"CANTON." Captain Solar, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 24th inst., at 3 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1891. [1033]

FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMARANG, AND SOURABAYA. THE Steamship.

"BANTAM." Captain Van der Valk, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 24th inst., at 3 P.M.

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STEAMSHIP "SYDNEY." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex S.S. Thure, from Havre ex S.S. Tigre, from Bordeaux ex S.S. Pl. Leroy Laidier in connection with above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Tobacco, and Valuable, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godown, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Additional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 2 P.M. TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), requesting it to be landed here.

Goods remaining undischarged at THURSDAY, the 24th inst., at Noon, will be subject to general landing charges at one cent per package per diem.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 30th inst. (THURSDAY), or they will not be recognized. Damaged Packages will be examined on THURSDAY the 30th inst., at 8 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1891. [1032]

CHARITY CONCERTS.

A SERIES of CONCERTS as below, under the Patronage of H.E. Major General G. D. B. H. M. G. C. B. and OFFICERS of the HONGKONG REGIMENT, will be held in aid of the WIDOW and FIVE ORPHANS of the late Bombardier ASHDOWN, Royal Artillery.

TO-NIGHT (THURSDAY), 23rd April, Local Contributions, City Hall.

PROGRAMME.

PART I. Song, "Forbidden Music," Gastoldi. Mr. E. E. L. WATSON. Blumenthal.

Song, "Life," Blumenthal. Mrs. GORDON. Song, "Mary's Lullaby," Sullivan. Mrs. GORDON. Song, "A Night in the Garden," Luccatelli. Mrs. LAMBERT and Mr. G. P. LAMBERT. Song, "The Song of the Sea," Gounod. Mrs. HOWARD.

PART II. Song, "Douglas Gordon," Laurence Kellie. Mr. SUTHER. Song, "Mother," Tosti. Mrs. COXON. Trio, "Two Violins and Piano." Miss POLLOCK, Mr. G. W. WILKE, and Mrs. GILBERT. Song, "The Toller's," Piccolomini. Mr. C. H. GRACE.

Quartette, "The Toller's," Piccolomini. Messrs. LAMBERT, MATHESON, SMITH, and CROW.

To conclude with Offenbach's Operetta, "THE BLIND BOY." Zuehl Margu, Mr. H. H. LUDWIG. Buffs, Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, R.N. Mr. N. RICHARDSON's "Pianissimo." Pupils have kindly undertaken to play during the interval.

TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), 24th April, Army and Navy, Garrison Theatre.

The Concert on SATURDAY will be in aid of the WIDOW of the late Military Instructor RYAN, Civil Police.

PRICES OF ADMISSION. Thursday—Dress Circle and Stalls \$1. Best Seats 50 cents. Other Nights—1st Seats \$1, 2nd Seats 50 cents, 3rd Seats 25 cents.

Admission on Friday Half Price on Thursday. Tickets for THURSDAY NIGHT can be obtained at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH; or after dark from the GARRISON THEATRE MAJOR or at the Door.

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INTIMATIONS.

THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1845.

TOTAL ASSETS ON 1ST JANUARY, 1890, \$21,494,634. AMOUNT ASSURED \$101,975,714. SURPLUS NEW YORK STATE \$3,331,041. STANDARD PAID TO POLICYHOLDERS & CO. Agents, Hongkong, 23rd July, 1890. [1295]

THE PUNJON AND SONGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 3, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG, THIS DAY (THURSDAY), the 23rd APRIL, 1891, at 4 P.M., for the purpose of considering and voting upon the following Resolutions:

"To cancel and eliminate from the Articles of Association paragraph No. 2 of Article 'VI,' and substitute the following in lieu thereof—

"2. 'The Directors in Meeting may increase the Capital of the Company by the issue of Shares of any denomination up to such amount as may be determined by the meeting as they may deem fit.'"

"That the Articles of Association be amended 'after paragraph 13 of Section 16, that the 'Share of One Dollar each, and the 'Share in General Meeting may be from time to time increase its Capital by the issue of Shares of any denomination up to such amount as may be determined by the meeting as they may deem fit.'"

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INTIMATIONS.

ST. JOHN LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 818, S.O.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the PARLOR, Masons' Hall, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 23rd inst., at 8.30 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brothers are cordially invited. Hongkong, 23rd April, 1891. [1025]

VICTORIA CHAPTER, No. 525.

A CONVENTION of EMERGENCY of the above CHAPTER will be held in the PARLOR, Masons' Hall, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW EVENING, the 24th inst., at 8.30 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brothers are

dissolved in benzine freed from all traces of
by ammonia gas, when a varnish is yielded
which the bronze powder remains suspended.
icles bronzed with the preparation are said
to retain their metallic lustre for years.

VESSELS EXPECTED.

THE INDIAN MAIL.
The steamer *Arratoon* appears,
dian mail, left Singapore on the 17
on the 25th inst.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.
The O. & O. steamer *Ocean*,
American mail of the 2nd March,
hama to-day (22nd) and is due at 6

THE ENGLISH MAIL.
The P. & O. steamer *Thames*,
English mail, left Singapore at 1
22nd and is due here on the 29th in

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The C. P. steamer *Batavia* left the 18th inst. for Hongkong & Shanghai:

MERCHANT STEAMER

The D. D. R. steamer *Prigga* left at 8 a.m. on the 17th inst. due on the 19th.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Tern* departs on the afternoon of the 17th on the 23rd inst.

The steamer *Pathan* left Singapore on the 18th inst. for Hongkong.

The P. & O. steamer *Shanghai* left at 10 a.m. on the 18th inst. for Hongkong.

The P. & O. steamer *Nizam* is at 4 p.m. on the 20th, and is due 26th inst.

The N. G. I. steamer *Bermida* leaves on the 20th and is due on the 27th inst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

The Postal Guide for 1891, which will be found in the *Chronicle* of p. XXXVI. This is the only authoritative Summary of Postal information for Hongkong.

The authorised List of M in connection with this paper is the twice each day in our Extra, which to a much later hour than that given

A MAT. WILL CLOSE

For Swatow and Deli.—Per 2

Collection, Business Station.	day, the 23rd inst., at 9:30 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Tamsui to-day, the 23rd inst., at 11 A.M. For Kobe.—Per <i>Martha</i> , to-d inst., at 3:40 P.M. For Swatow and Bangkok.—Pe to-morrow, the 24th inst., at 9:30 A.M. For Straits and Bombay.—Pe to-morrow, the 24th inst., at 11:30 A. M. For Singapore and Mauritius. to-morrow, the 24th inst., at 2:30 P.M. For Yokohama, Honolulu, and San Francisco.—Per <i>Yokohama</i> , to-m inst., at 10 A.M. —Per City of Peking, on Satur day, the 25th inst., at 10 A.M.
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KONG	<p>inst., at 0.30 P.M. For Singapore.—Per Oceano, the 29th inst., at 9.30 A.M.</p>
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